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Invention: PNEUMATIC TIRE AND PRODUCING METHOD THEREOF

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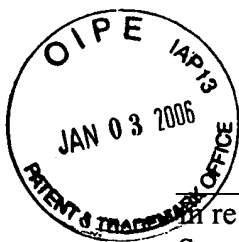
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**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated July 1, 2005, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the Listing of Claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 4 of this paper and include two (2) attached replacement sheets.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.